DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, avare, thogari, til and groundnut are reported to be in good condition. Weeding operation is reported to be going on in all parts.

Crops Harvested.—Til is being harvested in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram is being sown in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Closepet Taluks. Transplanting of paddy is reported to be going on in parts of Chennapatna Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported by the Amildars of Kankanhalli and Closepet Taluks that blackquarter and Anthrax are prevailing in some villages and that the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Weeding operations and sowing of groundnut are in progress.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, avare, sugarcane, groundnut, til, ragi, sajje, potatoes, onions, castor, togari and jola. Dry crops are reported to be fading in Bagepalli, Malur, Srinivaspur, Kolar and Bowringpet Taluks for want of rain.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram and groundnut.

Crops Harvested.—Potatoes in some parts of Sidlaghatta Taluk.

10. Generally good except for plague which is reported to be prevailing in and two villages in Chintamani Taluk and two villages in Chikballapur Taluk. It is also reported that Smallpox is prevailing in four villages in Mulbagal Taluk and one village in Chintamani Taluk. Precautionary measures are being taken to prevent the spread.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.

Water and fodder are available throughout the District except in some villages in Bowringpet Taluk where the difficulty is being felt.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Standing crops are urgently in need of rain.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Horsegram in parts of Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli Taluks and Turvekere Sub-Taluk; horsegram and jola in parts of Sira Taluk; paddy, ragi horsegram, etc., in parts of Tiptur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, castor, sugarcane, bajay, groundnut, jola, navane, haraka, korle, gingelly and chillies are reported to be in good condition all over the District except in parts of Madhugiri, Sira, Gubbi, Pavagada and Koratagere Taluks where standing crops are reported to be in urgent need of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Save, sajje, blackgram, greengram and til in parts of Chiknaikanhalli Taluk; nutiragi in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks; paddy in parts of Gubbi Taluk; paddy, sugarcane and til in parts of Turvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of blackquarter in parts of Madhugiri and Sira Taluks. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, jola, horsegram, sugarcane, castor, til, thogari, groundnut, chillies, avare, mulberry and bengalgram are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds Sown.—Paddy in parts of Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud and Gundlupet Taluks; ragi in parts of Nagamangala and Krishnarajpet Taluks; and avare in parts of Krishnarajpet Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Jola in parts of Mysore, Krishnarajnagar and Gundlupet Taluks; ragi in parts of Mysore and Heggaddevankote Taluks; til in parts of Heggaddevankote; horsegram in parts of Nanjangud Taluk and sugarcane in parts of Mandya and Maddur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity.

Dry crops are in need of rain urgently in parts of Chamarajanagar, Nagamangala, Nanjangud, Krishnarajpet, T.-Narsipur, Malavalli, Gundlupet and Hunsur Taluks.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Surgarcane in the Belur, Channarayapatna, Arsikere, Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; cholum and togari in the Hassan Taluk; groundnut and chillies in the Arsikere Taluk, are reported to be in good condition. Standing crops are in need of very urgent rains.

Crops Harvested.—Til in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks, except the prevalence of cattle disease in Satenahalli Village, Hassan Taluk. The Amildar has not reported the nature of the disease. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector has been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

The Amildar, Chennarayapatna Taluk, reports that scarcity of water was slightly felt in some parts of his Taluk as water in the wells is drying up for want of rains.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplantation of paddy is going on in the Taluks of Shimoga, Tirthahalli and Nagar.

Seeds Sown.—Horsegram in the Taluks of Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and Millet in the Honnali Taluk are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in all the Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Shimoga Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and groundnut and jola in the Shimoga Taluk, are reported to be in good condition. Koleroga to areca crop is stated to be prevailing in the Taluks of Nagar, Tirthahalli and Sorab and steps are being taken to arrest the spread of the disease by having recourse to spraying and other measures.

Standing crops are reported to be in need of rains.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Rain is wanted in all the maidan Taluks.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of throat disease in Hebburuli and Kachigebyle Villages of the Nagar Taluk where it is reported that the Veterinary Inspector has been requested to take necessary remedial measures.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram in Tarikere Taluk, and paddy in Koppa.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, coffee, ragi, paddy, wheat, garlic, jola and til are reported to be in good condition. It is reported that Koleroga prevails to areca crop in Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Chikmagalur Taluk and til in Kadur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.
Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district.

It is reported that Rinderpest prevails in Gutti, Bettagere and Halike Villages of Mudigere Taluk.

The Veterinary Inspector concerned is reported to be taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease and to treat sick animals.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks and sub-taluks in the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplanting of onions and chillies is reported to be going on in Molakalmuru Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition.

Rain is very urgently wanted to the standing crops in all the Taluks and for sowing in black cotton soil.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except in Kodaganur Village, Davangere Taluk, where "Chapperoga" is reported to be prevailing. Necessary remedial measures are being taken by the Veterinary Inspector concerned.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district except in Bommagondanakere, Molakalmuru Taluk, and other four surrounding villages where fodder scarcity is reported to be prevailing. Necessary action is being taken in the matter.

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